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With only four Republican candidates for four senatorial positions in Rutland county there is chance for that county to take on some of the overflow from Washington, Windham, Orleans and perhaps, a few other counties of the state.

That recent town meeting in Brattleboro which, though attended by only 22 persons, voted exemption from taxation to four concerns for five years, ought to be referred to Gov. Clement as an example of government by the minority.

A big bounty on rats has been established by the city government of Philadelphia. If the bounty should result in the killing of a million rats, Philadelphia will find the outlay well made. The rat is one of the greatest spreaders of disease, especially the bubonic plague in coast towns.

By getting a copy of the U. S. constitution into every home in the United States, the Constitutional League of America will be doing a good work—and it is barely possible that some member or members of each family will read the constitution. In the latter event the purpose of the league will have been realized in large measure.

All postmasters and postal employees are warned by Postmaster General Burleson "to refrain carefully from engaging in pernicious political activity during the pending political campaign." That tends to the query whether all political activity is "pernicious" and whether, if there are some kinds which are not pernicious, the postal men are to be allowed to engage in the non-pernicious kinds. Certainly they are to be allowed to vote and perhaps to put in a word now and then in behalf of some candidacy. An attempt to muzzle men completely just because they are employed by the government is not wise.

UNJUSTIFIED MISINTERPRETATION.

The Barre Times, an Emery paper, admits Hartness is gaining in strength. There will be many such admissions next September.—St. Albans Messenger.

The resort to deliberate misinterpretation to delude its own readers, as contained in the above, is poor newspaper ethics, to say the least; and it cannot be excused under the explanation of political excitement on the part of the contemporary. What The Times did say was that "it is perhaps possible that Hartness is picking up some votes as the time for the primaries approaches," but in the same sentence The Times added "but it is certainly just as true that the other candidates are gaining supporters as the nearness of the primaries forces the voters to make a choice." Moreover, The Times added: "The question is, which one is picking up votes the fastest. It would be our idea that Hartness was about third man in the process of gathering votes."

We leave it to the candid judgment of the readers of the St. Albans contemporary (providing The Messenger will reprint this article, as it did not do in the case of the original article) whether there was not gross and uncalculated misinterpretation in the two sentences quoted from the contemporary above. It is a very weak cause which has to be bolstered up in that way.

THE AMERICAN VICTORY.

The cup stays on this side of the Atlantic. After a long-drawn-out contest and many unfinished starts the American defender Resolute demonstrated her superiority over the challenger Shamrock, Sir Thomas Lipton's speed sloop. The official count of the contest gives Resolute three victories and Shamrock two; but actually the count is Resolute three and Shamrock one, for the first of the so-called victories of Shamrock was, in fact, nothing but an accident. The British boat being declared the winner because she was the only contestant to cross the finish line, Resolute having met with a mishap which effectually put her out of the race and it being then but a question of whether Shamrock should finish in the time limit allowed for a race. Shamrock's other victory was fairly decisive as far as length of open water was concerned, and no one begrudges the challenger the honor of that victory. However, when it came to the test in all kinds of weather Resolute proved her worth and her superiority by taking three successive wins, one of them by the mere margin of her handicap allowance, to be sure, but in a clean-cut fight. In the other races which were started but never finished Resolute always gave an impressive demonstration of speed, showing that she was built on finely-balanced lines. At the same time much credit

must be given to her skipper, Captain Charles F. Adams, who is not a professional sailor but whose real vocation is that of professor in Harvard university. In most instances Adams proved his skill in a most masterly manner, and it was to that skill that Resolute responded so well. He found a worthy foe in Captain Burton of Shamrock after the latter had become accustomed to the wind currents of the course but he was not favored with such a trim, swift craft as Captain Adams. The result of the matches will prove a disappointment to Sir Thomas Lipton, who has spent a fortune in an effort to "lift" the cup; but Sir Thomas is a real sportsman and he will take the defeat gracefully and come back after more—or victory. Americans cannot help admiring the true sporting instinct of the many-times challenger for the America's cup.

FORMER EMPRESS
SUFFERED MUCH

Aggravated Cases of Heart Disease
Gave Her Much Distress—Recently She Has Been
Living Life of
An Invalid.

Doorn, Holland, July 28.—The former German empress, Auguste Victoria, has undergone so much distress during the past two years that she has suffered for several months from aggravated attacks of heart disease. Recently she has been leading the life of an invalid. She has had milder attacks of this malady for many years.

At the house of Doorn, where, surrounded by a staff of her own Berlin servants, and attended almost constantly by Countess Kollar—for many years her lady in waiting—she has recently been so completely indisposed that she has, at times, been unable to walk and has not for a long time been permitted to walk up or down the stairs. A special elevator was built for her use.

Those familiar with the inner life of the former empress's household since the flight from Potsdam to Holland declare that, while William, consoling himself with religion, has been more or less of a stoic, the former empress has suffered great mental distress and has felt severely the separation from her children.

From the time she arrived at Amerongen, in November, 1918, she has suffered continually. Now and then, she was the victim of heart attacks so severe that she was confined to her bed for several days at a time. In the spring of 1920, when the Kapp revolution in Berlin was followed by an urgent demand that the former empress be closely guarded, the life of the exiles became more constrained and Auguste's ailment more pronounced. She was constantly under the treatment of Dr. Haehner, a Berlin physician, who is a member of the former empress's staff and, also, a noted Dutch specialist in heart diseases, from Utrecht, was called into consultation. He decreed that she must lead a very quiet life and it has been no secret at Doorn that in May and June of this year, the former empress suffered such violent attacks that her life was despaired of. On these occasions, the former crown prince and such others of the Hohenzollerns, who were within easy reach, were summoned to her bedside.

At Doorn, everything has been done to avoid disturbing the former empress. News, or information that might tend to excite her, has been kept from her. She has never been left entirely alone. If she has been able to walk in the garden, attendants were in easy call.

GRANITEVILLE

The Athletic club has received a generous donation of one hundred dollars from J. K. Pirie.

Mrs. Norman MacDonald went to Boston this morning to visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lascor are in Enfield, Mass., visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell.

Miss Lucy King of Lyme, N. H., is a guest at Mrs. George Sult's. Robert Slater went to his home in Sharon Saturday to begin a two weeks' vacation from his duties at Boutwell Milne and Varnum quarries. Before returning he will spend a few days in Boston.

John Theresa left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., where they will make their home. Mr. Sheridan has been postmaster several years and, with Miss Theresa, has made many friends during the time of their residence here. They will be missed by the entire community.

Mrs. John Smith and family of Cassie street, accompanied by Mrs. Murdo Murray went to Lincolnton, P. Q., this morning to spend a few weeks.

Miss Helena Pierce, who has been visiting friends in Montpelier, returned home to-day. Mrs. John Finnigan, who has been visiting in Millinocket, Me., and Keene, N. H., returned home yesterday. M. J. Whitcomb of East Barre was appointed school director to fill the place made vacant by the death of M. E. Cutler. William Crowley of East Barre has been appointed to fill the place of Fred Sargent as selectman.

NEW MIDDLEBURY COACH.

Dave Morey of Dartmouth to Assist Football Training.

The athletic committee of Middlebury college has closed a contract with Dave Morey as assistant football coach for the coming season. Morey played four years at Dartmouth and was captain of the "green team" his senior year, playing a star game in the backfield. He has assisted Cavanaugh, the Dartmouth coach, and has had several years' coaching experience in other institutions. At Middlebury he will assist Arthur Brown, athletic director.



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TOPSHAM

Will Fox has purchased the car owned by Frank Smith. Mrs. William Edwards has returned to her home in Westerville, after a few days' visit at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLam.

Flora Stevens has returned from a short visit in Groton.

Waldo Emerson, son of Ralph Emerson, had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly one day last week. He was taken to Dr. R. M. Deming, who dressed the wound.

Mrs. Fred Smith has been on the sick list.

George Merritt had a heifer killed by lightning during the shower last Monday, while standing near a wire fence.

Burt Webber of Barre and friends of Groton were in town Sunday.

Frank Downing and daughter, Hazel, were in Groton Thursday.

Ernest Pierson is gaining nicely, after the injury received some time ago, while using a hay tedder.

Mrs. Nell Geddes and daughter of Quincy, Mass., Austin Carter of Barre and Mrs. Clara Emery of Littleton, N. H., spent the week end at A. D. Hood's.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ralph of Barre and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ralph of Brookfield were at Mrs. Jessie McKay's Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Powers and daughter, Mildred, motored to Boltonville last Sunday with W. S. Fox as chauffeur.

State Fish and Game Commissioner Linus Leavens and Nelson Bailey of Wells River were in town on business one day last week.

The funeral of George R. Hall was held at his residence Tuesday, with a large attendance. Burial was at Newbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Buchanan of Rockford, Ill., who is visiting relatives in Ryegate, were the guests of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Fisk, Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda White is visiting her son, George, of Bradford for a short time.

United Presbyterian church notes for August first—Rev. Hemphill, pastor, preaching service at 11 o'clock a. m.

Cards of Thanks.

We wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted in any way during the death and burial of our beloved husband and father, and also for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs. George Hall,
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLam,
Robert Hall,
Lewis Hall,
Ida Mae Hall,
Edward Hall.

FLY IN THE DRIVER'S EYE.

Made Him Lose Control of Car and Go Over Steep Embankment.

White River Junction, July 28.—Thomas J. Carroll, night union station yard conductor, and Miss Jessie Turner, bookkeeper in the union station yard car office, when the auto in which they were riding plunged down a steep embankment on the road between Quebec and West Hartford village.

While driving the car Mr. Carroll was hit in one eye by a fly and for the instant lost control of the car. It pitched down the embankment, making two turnovers.

Miss Turner has a broken right arm, besides other injuries, while Mr. Carroll has a badly injured left arm and right leg.

Following the auto were Mr. and Mrs. Willie G. Turner, the parents of Miss Turner, in a carriage. They were close to the auto when the accident happened and gave immediate assistance. Miss Turner was taken to the family home on the Quebec road and Mr. Carroll to his rooms in the Junction Gates building.

The Mighty Dollar!

We hear it often said that a man's success in the world to-day is measured very largely by the amount of wealth that he may possess—but is this an accurate statement?

We all know that few truly great men have been rich men, or at least, men who would be called rich to-day, and we even know of instances where great wealth has been a handicap to professional leadership, but in spite of all this, history supplies ample proof to the fact that all great men have recognized the importance of thrift as a vital force in their own lives and a contributing factor to success.

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BETHEL

A. E. Waite has sold to Irving R. Roberts of Woodstock the farm on the Barnard road that he bought last fall of Albert N. Merrill. He buys for immediate occupancy.

The anniversary service at the Old church will be held August 8 at 11 o'clock a. m. The preacher will be the Rev. Dr. Frederick DeForest of Northfield. This is the oldest Episcopal church in this part of the state and is near the main highway from Bethel to Randolph. The church was organized in 1794, re-organized in 1821 and the building was dedicated in 1824.

George W. Edmunds has sold his farm in Barnard to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bowen. The sale is subject to the lease of W. N. Luce, who is on the place this season.

S. M. Washburn is recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. R. E. Bundy, assisted by Miss Helen Brooks, is chaperoning a group of Rochester girls at Lake Ansel, where they are occupying the cottage of Guy Wilson.

The cottages at Barnard lake are well occupied this season. The Clafin cottage is full of New York people. W. M. Fisher of Springfield, Mass., is occupying his cottage, C. O. Spaulding of Rutland is at the Spaulding-Graham cottage, Carl Tenney of Woodstock is at the E. S. Putnam cottage and Miss Ruth Cushing is at the Cushing cottage.

Mrs. Guy Purmort of Brooklyn, N. Y., is a guest for a few days at Pearl M. Savage's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wallace and Miss Margaret Wallace have returned from a 10 days' tour of the White mountains, Hampton beach, Portland, Me., and other points in New Hampshire and Maine.

A bicycle, belonging to Roscoe Perkins, taken without leave by an unknown person, has been returned to Perkins, after nearly two weeks' use, not much damaged. The wheel was checked to Bethel and somebody recognized it after it was taken from the car. At nearly the same time Everett Perkins, brother of Roscoe, lost a wheel in the same way, but his has not come back, so far as he knows. Both wheels were taken from the Perkins restaurant on Main street.

A special meeting of Home Rebekah lodge will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

WALDEN

Dr. Campbell and family are spending a week at Lake Dunmore.

Miss Merle and Masters Rioridan and Rossmoyn drew spent the week end at George Wallis' in Waitsfield.

Several from here attended the circus at Montpelier Monday.

George Ford was ill Monday and attended by Dr. Kent of Waitsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Burley, accompanied by Mr. Sargent and family of Hinesburg, were recent callers at G. A. R. Bragg's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Senor were in Brandon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barnard of Brandon were at E. H. Richardson's on Sunday.

The junior Christian Endeavor society enjoyed a hike and picnic on Double hill Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lovett of Bangor, Me., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lovett.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richardson and Dan Senor were visitors in Montpelier on Saturday.

The dance given by the campfire girls Saturday night was well attended.

Miss Anna Turner finished her labors for H. W. Brooks Saturday night and goes to Boston Thursday, where she has employment. Miss Della Rich takes her place in the store for the present.

Leslie Parsons of Springfield is spending a few days at his home here.

Wallace Cousey has purchased a motorcycle.

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